



# GROVES GRAPEVINE



September 8-11

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## Phonics Skills:

**One Vowel Rule:** When there is one vowel in a word, it usually says its short sound

**Two Vowel Rule:** When there are two vowels in a word, the first one says its long sound and the second one is silent.

Long and short vowel words; consonant blends (st, pl, fr, tr, bl, cl, fl, gl, br, dr, pr)

## Grammar/Writing Skills:

Recognize complete and incomplete sentences; writing sentences correctly

Reading Shared Story: *Three Up a Tree* By James Marshall

Reading Vocabulary with definitions: (Quiz Thursday)

*snooze* – a nap

*hungry* – feeling a need to eat

*monster* – a make-believe person or animal that is scary

*listen* – to try to hear someone or something

*swell* – excellent; very nice

*clever* – smart; quick at learning and understanding

Reading Vocabulary:

grocery

favorite

worms

money

moment

chicken

doll

fox

beside

squirrel

jiffy

guessed

chocolate

delicious

waited

returned

reached

finished

better

## Math Skills:

Understanding Addition and Subtraction; Recognizing Even and Odd numbers; Counting forward and backwards by 1's and 10's. Fact Families; Using graphs

## Idiom of the Week:

**An apple a day keeps the doctor away.**

*(People use this saying to mean that eating apples helps you keep healthy.)*

## Calendar:

- September 7<sup>th</sup> – Labor Day
- September 8<sup>th</sup> – Blue Team
- September 9<sup>th</sup> – Orange Team
- September 10<sup>th</sup> – Blue Team
- September 11<sup>th</sup> – Orange Team
- September 14<sup>th</sup> – Summer packets are due. All students report.
- September 15<sup>th</sup> – DOT Day – Wear your favorite DOT attire.
- September 29<sup>th</sup> – School Picture Day



# Assignments for the Week



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## Tuesday: (Blue Team)

1. Complete and return reading assignment on Thursday.
2. Complete and return math assignment on Thursday.

## Wednesday: (Blue Team)

1. Practice reading vocabulary. Read words to a parent. Have a parent quiz you on definitions.
2. Read and return Book in a Bag with writing assignment completed Thursday.

## Thursday: (Blue Team)

1. Work on your summer packet to turn in Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>.
2. Read for 20 minutes. Fill in your reading log in your blue folder.

## Friday: (Blue Team)

1. Complete your summer packet to turn in Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>.
2. Read for 20 minutes. Fill in your reading log in your blue folder.

## Tuesday: (Orange Team)

1. Complete and return Writing assignment All About Me on Wednesday.
2. Read for 20 minutes. Fill in your reading log in your blue folder.

## Wednesday: (Orange Team)

1. Complete and return reading assignment on Friday.
2. Complete and return math assignment on Friday.

## Thursday: (Orange Team)

1. Practice reading vocabulary. Read words to a parent. Have a parent quiz you on definitions.
2. Read and return Book in a Bag with writing assignment completed Friday.

## Friday: (Orange Team)

1. Work on your summer packet to turn in Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>.
2. Read for 20 minutes. Fill in your reading log in your blue folder.

Hi Parents,

Please send a snack and water bottle daily. We have bottle refilling stations beside our water fountains. Also, please send your child's chrome book daily. Your child will need to have a pair of headphones or earbuds, as well, to use in the classroom and at computer.

Our lunch time is 1 1:40 a.m. Student prices are \$3.00 per day. Lunch fees and the \$45 Activity Fee can be paid using MY SCHOOL BUCKS. Our daily special classes are at 8:10 a.m.

Monday – Art with Mrs. Ramsey

Tuesday – Computer with Mrs. Garrett

Wednesday – Library with Mrs. Benson

Thursday – Music with Mr. Hawkins

Friday – P.E. with Coach Woods

Please check your child's blue TAKE HOME FOLDER each day for papers and notes. Remind your child to clear out any items in the **KEEP at HOME section**. Send notes, lunch money, or transportation changes in your child's **RETURN to SCHOOL section**. Please send back the school health form and handbook page as soon as possible.

Feel free to email me if you have any questions and please sign up for REMIND 101. Use the number 81010 and text @Groves 1 16.

Thank you,  
Mrs. Groves